

# Office of Applied Research and Analysis (OARA)

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# CalOMS System Development

#### **First Phase**

 Input - Develop a system that accept data from the counties

#### **Second Phase**

 Output – Develop system and outcome reports for the counties

## **Data Collected**

- Unique Client Identifiers (UCI)
- California Alcohol and Drug Data Set (CADDS)
- Treatment Episode Data Set (TEDS)
- National Outcome Data Set (NOMS)
- Minimum Treatment Outcome Questions (MTOQ)

## **Data Collection Points**

#### Phase 1

- Admission
- Discharge
- Annual Update

#### Phase 2

Follow-Up

### **Data Elements**

- Client Identification
- Client Demographics
- Admission Data
- Discharge Data
- Alcohol and Drug Use Data



- Employment Data
- Criminal Justice Data
- Medical/Physical Health Data
- Mental Health Data
- Family/Social Data

## Types of Outcome Reports/Data

### **CalOMS Outcome Reports:**

- Scheduled Standard Reports
- On-Demand Standard Reports

#### **CalOMS Outcome Data:**

- Standard Reports
- File Extract



- Scheduled Reports:
  - Similar to CADDS Quarterlies

- On-Demand Reports:
  - 10-12 standard reports
  - with choice of parameters



- Service Levels (state, county and provider)
- Treatment Frame (admission to discharge)
- Service Frame (treatment episodes)
- Reporting Period (flexible date ranges)
- Primary Drug (alcohol, heroin)
- Service Modality (NTP, ODF)

## CalOMS Raw Data

- Standard Reports:
  - scheduled reports
  - on-demand reports

- File Extracts:
  - admission and discharge
  - all data elements

## Access to Reports and Data

- Information Technology Web Server (ITWS) – DMH Web Portal
- Access Authorization
- Menu Driven Selection
- View, Print or Download

## Types of Measures and Analysis

- Process
  - treatment population
  - service delivery
- Outcome
  - service utilization
  - treatment effectiveness



- Treatment Population
  - client demographics
  - other client characteristics

- Service Delivery
  - source of referral
  - waiting list
  - type of service



- Treatment Population
  - older adults entering treatment
  - pregnant women in treatment

- Service Delivery
  - drug court referrals
  - average wait for NTP clients
  - clients in residential programs

# **Using Process Analysis**

- Compare Treatment Population
  - population in need
  - trends over time

- Service Delivery
  - effects of outreach
  - treatment capacity
  - services utilized



- Service Utilization
  - length of stay (LOS)
  - completion rates

- Treatment Effectiveness
  - changes in AOD use
  - changes in life domains

# **Examples of Outcome Analysis**

- Service Utilization
  - LOS in residential by primary drug
  - Completion and discharge reasons

- Treatment Effectiveness
  - Reduction of alcohol and drug use
  - Elimination of criminal involvement

## Use of Outcome Measures

- Service Utilization
  - Standard LOS in the field
  - Comparing completion rates

- Treatment Effectiveness
  - Reduction of AOD use
  - Increased functionality



- Successful completion of treatment
- Abstinence/reduction in alcohol and drug use
- Increased/retained employment and school (or job training) enrollment
- Elimination/reduction of involvement with the criminal justice system



- Elimination or reduction in medical problems
- Decreased mental health symptomatology and utilization of emergency services
- Increased stability in family and living conditions
- Increased access to support services

# **Quality of the Data**

- Timeliness
- Completeness
- Accuracy
- Reliability
- Validity

## Additional Research by OARA

- Trend Analysis
- Retention Analysis
- Risk Factor Analysis
- Time Series Analysis
- Other Statewide Data Analysis